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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled Support Fixture For Thermal Curing Processes

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WHEREAS the undersigned inventor/s,

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has/have made an invention described and set forth in an application for U.S. LETTERS PATENT identified by Norton Company docket no. BO-03507 entitled **Support Fixture For Thermal Curing Processes** and executed prior to or contemporaneously with this application, and WHEREAS **NORTON COMPANY**, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and having its principal place of business at Worcester, Massachusetts, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title, and interest in and to said application and the invention described therein and in and to any and all LETTERS PATENT that may be issued thereon in the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and in any foreign country:

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of one dollar and other valuable considerations, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned inventor/s hereby sell, assign, and transfer unto the said **NORTON COMPANY** and its successors and assigns the entire right, title, and interests of said inventor/s in and to said application and the invention therein described, together with the entire right, title, and interest in and to all LETTERS PATENT, including reissues, divisions, renewals, continuations and continuations-in-part or other derived applications thereof which may be obtained in the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA upon said invention, and the entire right, title, and interest in and to all applications for LETTERS PATENT in all countries foreign to the United States and all LETTERS PATENT issued thereon, including the right to claim for any corresponding foreign application the priority of the said application.

The undersigned inventor/s hereby authorize and request the COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS of the UNITED STATES of AMERICA and the corresponding officers of foreign governments to issue all LETTERS PATENT granted thereon in accordance with this assignment.

The undersigned inventor/s furthermore agree to sign all papers and do all reasonable acts necessary to obtain and defend such LETTERS PATENT and to vest the title thereto in the assignee named herein, but without expense to said inventor/s.

First inventor signature

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